

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re application of

Confirmation No. 5779

Tadashi WATANABE et al.

Docket No. 2001-0142A

Serial No. 09/779,546

Group Art Unit 1774

Filed February 9, 2001

Examiner L. D. FERGUSON

PLASTICS-COVERED METAL PLATE FOR CAR

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZE TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a three month extension of time to respond to the communication of October 4, 2002.

The fee of \$930.00 is

- (X) submitted herewith.
- to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.
- () Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which
 - () is enclosed.
 - () has been previously submitted.

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Respectfully submitted,

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